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BOARD OF REVENUE
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LAND R.V. & DEPT.
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From

M.R.Rv. Rao Bahadur S.N.V. Rajachar, Avl., B.A.
Collector of South Kanara.

To

The Secretary to the Board,
Land Revenue & Settlement,
M a d r a s.

Sir,

Board's Proceedings Mis. 2272 dated 10th November 1921 (mis no 2109 dt 18-10-21 and and R.O. mis no 261 Rev dt 9-2-22) - Establishment - Revenue Inspectors' staff - Curtailment - Report submitted.

The present staff of Revenue Inspectors including the staff of Land Records Inspectors merged in the ---- Revenue Inspectorate is shown below:

Mangalore Taluk		7
Kasargod	"	6
Uppinangadi	"	7
Udipi	"	5
Coondapoor	"	4
Karkal	"	5
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The amalgamated staff has been working since October -- 1921. A comparison of the arrears under Maintenance - of Land Records and Sub Division work at present with - those of the corresponding period before the amalgamation shows a decided improvement. The arrears have -- gone down to a great extent. The result is no doubt - due to the increase in the staff and the consequent --- reduction in the jurisdiction of the Revenue Inspectors. My Divisional officers are of opinion that the Revenue Inspectors' Firkas can be reduced by one in each Taluk and I agree with them. Their proposal may however be tried temporarily for one year with a view to see -----

her the reduction of six Revenue Inspectors' posts ---- /the District can be given effect to permanently -------- /thout detriment to efficiency in work. I accordingly -- recommend that six Revenue Inspectors' posts, one in each - Taluk, in the Grade of Rs.35-1½-50-1-60 may be temporarily abolished for one year from 1st March 1923 to 29th -------- February 1924 when a separate report regarding their ------ permanent abolition or otherwise will be submitted to the - Board.

2. The Assistant to the Government Entomologist ---- working in this District in his letter dated 22nd January - 1923 (copy enclosed) strongly recommends that the services of a separate staff in the Grade of a Revenue Inspector are essential for controlling the operations undertaken to ---- combat the Cocoanut Pest disease in the Mangalore --------- Municipality and the villages within five miles of it, as - the Agricultural Pests and Diseases Act X of 1919 has been introduced in that area for one year with effect from 1st - January 1923 as per G.O. No.Mis.1602 dated 30th November -- 1922. He urges that a full-time Revenue Inspector should be placed in charge of the operations not only to supervise the work of the Village officers who do not fully realize - the seriousness of the situation but also to take prompt -- and thorough action to eradicate the disease on which the - success of the operations mainly depends. I fully agree - with him in view of the fact that as many as 7000 cocoanut trees were found attacked by the pest. I had a talk with the Director of Agriculture when he was here recently and - he thinks that a special staff is absolutely necessary to - control the disease and that he cannot allow his Assistant (Mr. J.A. Muliyil) to continue to control the operations -- here any longer as his services are required elsewhere ---- urgently and that he would withdraw him very soon. In the above circumstances, I beg to propose to utilise the ------ services of one of the I Grade Revenue Inspector of the --- Mangalore Taluk from 1st February 1923 for the work connect -ed with the Pest Control operations.

3. I request that the Board may be pleased to sanction the above proposals.

for Collector.

Letter-from J. A. Muliyil, B.A., Assistant to Government Entomologist, Special Duty, Mangalore.
To-the Collector of South Kanara.
Dated-Mangalore, 22nd January 1923.
No.-

Reference: Cocoanut leaf Pest (Nephantis scrinopa Meyv) - Control.

The Cocoanut Pest Control operations which under the instructions of your late predecessor Mr. Ramacha Nedungadi were started on the 11th day of August 1922 and which ------ received your kind approval and hearty co-operation were --- brought to a fairly successful termination on the 9th day of December 1922. During this period of 4 months, over 7000 - palms were treated and of these very nearly 4000 palms had - to be treated a second time. Thus on the whole, for ------ purposes of calculation we can safely say that a little over 11000 palms were subject to departmental operations. The - expenses incurred were met by the subscription given by the Collector of the District from his discretionary fund (Rs.250 supplemented by amounts raised by the public and contributed by the Chairman of the Municipality and the Deputy Director of Agriculture VII Circle. On the whole nearly Rs.590/- were spent on the operations.

Though in the vast majority of cases the operations -- were allowed to be carried on smoothly, yet there were many - cases of opposition. From time to time such cases were ---- brought to the notice of the District Collector, of the Sub -- Magistrate and of the Cocoanut Pest Control Committee. Through their kind intervention, some of the stubborn ryots - yielded and allowed us to execute the work. Some remained - stubborn to the last. In their interests and in the best --

interest of the vast majority of garden owners who willing -ly allowed their gardens to be treated, the District ---- Collector was compelled to call for the aid the Agricul- tural Pest Act and the Government was pleased to pass the said Act to be in force from the 1st of January 1923. Thus the whole of the affected area has passed from the hands - of the Entomologist and the said area with villages within a radius of 5 miles around the Municipality are now under the control of the Act. From my experience in this work, may I inform the Collector that the two essential factors in the control of this pest are (i) Quickness of the operations -- (ii) and thoroughness with which the operations are carried out. From what I have seen during the past few days my -- own opinion is that we have paid too great a compliment to the potels and shanbhogues in leaving the work in their --- hands. As they do not realise the seriousness of the pest and the consequences of slow action, they are apt to take things cooly. I do not want to underestimate the ability - or enthusiasm of the village officials. My only fear is, that they have not yet fully realised the seriousness of -- dealing leisurly with this dangerous pest. May I there- fore request the Collector to put a full-time Revenue ----- Inspector in charge of these operations who can freely and quickly direct the village officials. A Revenue Inspector who is entrusted with this work in addition to his usual -- duties, will not, in my opinion be able to combat with the pest. Irrespective of the inspection rounds of the ------ village officials, the Revenue Inspector as the chief ----- Inspecting officer, will have to inspect all the centres of attack in turn and examine each and every garden in the --- centre. Such a course of work necessarily takes a long -- time and requires careful watch. Unless the Revenue ----- Inspector is absolutely free to devote his whole time towards this work, I am almost sure even the Pest Act fail to do the needful as speedily as it ought to. The pest is seen now in Attavar, Bunder, Falnir and Hampankatta and though the - number of trees where traces of the pest are observed are -

not very numerous, yet there are gardens where on a few palms the pest is so bad that if left alone for some time -- they are sure to spread the infection. Such gardens being mostly at Bunder, it requires a higher official than a Potel to deal with them thoroughly. On a rough estimate there may be about 500 palms where the pest is seen at present. But - as the season is rather favourable, the number of affected -- palms may soon become numerous.

Taking all these into consideration, may I request the Collector who so timely foresaw the necessity of the Act and called in for its aid, to depute a Revenue Inspector to be - in charge of the Act, un-encumbered with any other special -- duties. Such a course of action on the part of the Collector will ensure absolute success.

On my part, I am prepared to render all scientific --- help to the Revenue officials and to do any other work ------ pertaining to the pest, as directed by the Collector.

/True Copy/

~~For~~ Collector.

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Register No. _____ , From the _____ , No. _____ , dated _____ 191 .

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Refee no. G 439/23-1

~~RESOLUTION~~. No. _____ , dated 26-2-1923

The working Strength of the Staff of R. D. I is 36 & not 34 as reported by the Collector.

The Board accepts the Collr's proposal in paragraph 1 of his letter to abolish temporarily the posts of 6 Land Records Inspectors employed as additional Revenue Inspectors. The posts to be abolished should be 3 in the Rs 60-4-80 grade & 3 in the Rs 35-60 grade as the original sanctioned posts of Land Records Inspectors in the Dt were 3 in

the 1st grade and 3 in the 2nd grade. The Collector is also requested to abolish temporarily the posts of the 6 peons attached to the Revenue Inspectors.

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2. On the circumstances reported by the Collector in para 2 of his letter the Board recommends ~~Govt.~~ that his proposal to utilize the services of a Revenue Inspector of Mangalore Dn for work connected with Pest control operations may be ~~approved~~ sanctioned.

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To The Collr of S. Kanara
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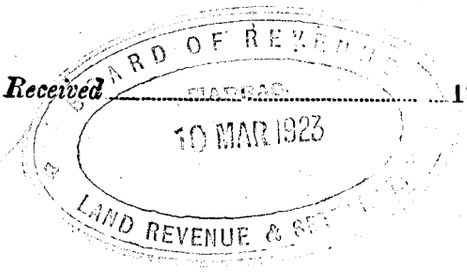

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Board's Reference No.G.439/23-1, dated 26th February 1923. Establishment - South Kanara - Revenue Inspector - Pest Control Operations - Sanction requested.

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ENCLOSURES
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R.O.C. No. 7624-22-V2.

Station Camp Hosdrug, *Dated the* 8th March 191 23

To A S

From (Name) M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur S.N.V. Rajachar, Avl., B.A.,

(Designation) Collector of South Kanara.

This is a copy of letter addressed to Govt. may be filed with the connected papers. Mg

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Revenue Department, Madras.

Sir,

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As the Kist collections commence in this District from the 10th instant, the Village officers of Mangalore Town and the Revenue Inspector of Mangalore Firka will be too busy to attend to any work in connexion with the Pest Control operations. I, therefore, request that the Government may be pleased to sanction the services of a I Grade Revenue Inspector out of the 3 ordered to be temporarily abolished by the Board, to be utilized exclusively for the work connected with the Pest Control operations.

A reply by wire may kindly be sent.

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For Collector.

W/8/3/23

Copy to the Board of Revenue,
Land Revenue & Settlement,
Madras.

" " " Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Development Department,
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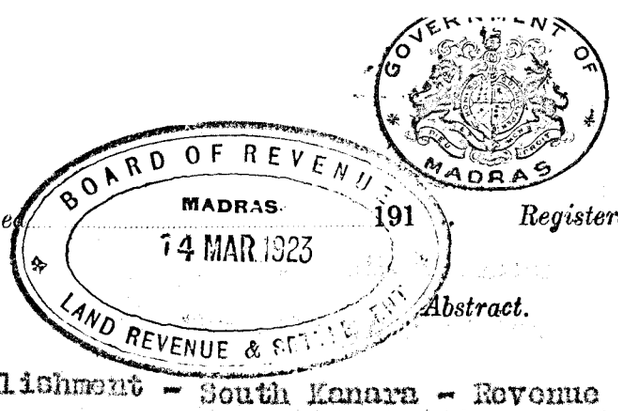

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Abstract.

Establishment - South Kanara - Revenue Inspectors - Reduction.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No 439 Mis. , dated 13th M a r c h '23. 191

READ the following paper :—

ENCLOSURES.

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From the Board of Revenue, Land Revenue and Settlement, Refco.No.S.439/23-1, dated 26-2-23.

O R D E R:-

The Government sanction the abolition temporarily for a period of one year from 1st March 1923 of the posts of three Revenue Inspectors on Rs.60-4-80 per mensem and three on Rs.35-60/- per mensem in the South Kanara District together with six posts of peons on Rs.12-18 per mensem attached to these Revenue Inspectors.

2. The Board of Revenue is requested to submit a report on the feasibility of the permanent abolition of these posts not later than 1st February 1924.

3. The Government sanction the employment for ten months from 1st March 1923 of a Revenue Inspector on Rs.60-4-80 per mensem plus a duty allowance of Rs.10/- per mensem in the Mangalore taluk for work connected with the pest control operations.

4. The following telegram will be despatched to the Collector of South Kanara.

Telegram No.906 G/23--1, dated 13th March 1923.

Your (letter R.O.C.No) 7624 (-22-V.2 dated) 6th March (1923) Retention (of a) Revenue Inspector (for) post control operations (in the) Mangalore (taluk) sanctioned.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL)

E.W.Legh,

Ag.Secretary to Government

To

The Board of Revenue, Land Revenue and Settlement.

The Accountant-General.

The Finance Department.

The Development Department.

Copy to the Retrenchment Secretary.

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue & Settlement)

(By Order) S. Raghavaiyangar 13-3-23

Superintendent.

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Comd to the Coll of S. Kanara.

2/ The coll is requested to submit the report called for in paragraph 2 of the GO not later than 15th ~~June~~ January 1924.

To the Coll of S. Kanara.

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OFFICE NOTE.

SUBJECT. Establishment — Revenue Inspectors — reduction.

From the Collr of S. Kanara

Register No. G 4329/23

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To A.S (Sects)

On the abolition of the superior offices of the Land Records Deptt, land records maintenance was transferred to the Rev. Deptt and the staff of land records inspectors was ordered to be merged with the fusha revenue inspectors. But in some dts the posts of LR-I's not required for fusha work was ordered to be kept vacant.

2/ In the S. Kanara dt, the Collr wanted all the L.R.-I's for fusha work but proposed to consider the possibility of reducing the no of R.I's in the light of experience gained in respect of the outturn of the R.I's maintenance work. For this he wants

time till Jan. 1923.

3/ In the circumstances now reported by the Collr his proposal to reduce the no of R. Ds by the no of LR Ds merged as Firka R-Ds may be accepted. The sanctioned staff of LR Ds for the St was 3 in the 1st grade & 3 in the 2nd grade. The no of R-Ds to be reduced should therefore be 3 in the Rs 60-4-80 grade and 3 in the Rs 35-60 grade. The no of peons in the St should also be reduced by 6 as the peons attached the 6 R-Ds will not be required. The posts may be kept vacant for the present as was done in the case of the other Dts.

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A copy of the G.O. no 1602 Mis dt 30.11.22 does not appear to have been forwarded to this office. It does not appear necessary to obtain a copy now as it simply extends the Agricultural Pests Act to certain tracts in the S. Kanara Dt. In the circumstances reported by the assistant to the Government Entomologist, the Collector's proposal to utilize the services of a 1st grade

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Revenue Inspector for the work connected with Pest control operations may perhaps be approved and the sanction of Government obtained.

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